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In the subject application, it is requested that the shortened period for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated January 12, 1998, be extended 1 month until April 12, 1998.

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge payment of the required processing fee of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-2387 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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